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The President
The White House
Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. President:

Incident to your appointments of Mr. Helms and me,
may I inform you that we are advancing Mr. [redacted]
to the position formerly occupied by Mr. Helms as Deputy
Director for Plans. [redacted] will continue
in the number two position under [redacted] as Assistant
Deputy Director for Plans.

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Mr. Lyman B. Kirkpatrick, a senior officer in the
Agency for many years and most recently Executive Director,
has voluntarily submitted his resignation effective in early
July to accept a professorship at Brown University. I regret
that Mr. Kirkpatrick is leaving, but I felt that I should
defer to his long-standing wish for an opportunity to teach
and to do research. He will be replaced by an officer from
inside the Agency as soon as we can make appropriate adjust-
ments.

Respectfully yours,

SIGNED

W. F. Raborn

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